Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Lester F. McClanahan has dedicated thirty-one years in service to the National Park System; and,

WHEREAS, In addition to his employment at Yosemite National Park, the Statue of Liberty, Mount Rainier National Park and several other famous national sites, Les has spent the last thirteen and a half years at Wind Cave National Park in the Black Hills; and,

WHEREAS, Since July of 1969, Lester has been totally responsible for the management of both Wind Cave and its satellite unit, Jewel Cave; and,

WHEREAS, Among Les's greatest challenges have been the battle against brucellosis, the control of prairie dog populations, and the ongoing responsibility of range land management; and,

WHEREAS, On January 31, 1983, Lester F. McClanahan will be retiring from the National Park Service; and,

WHEREAS, Les and his wife, Wanda, hope to use their time together to put the finishing touches on their beautiful new home near Custer and to take their first trip to Scotland; and,

WHEREAS, Lester's colleagues at Wind Cave and Jewel Cave will truly miss this man who has been their boss and their friend for many years. They join all South Dakota in wishing Les all the best in his retirement years:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim January 21, 1983, as

LESTER F. McCLANAHAN DAY

In South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Seventeenth Day of January, In the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Three

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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